## IN THE SPECIFICATION

The paragraph beginning at page 5, line 6 has been amended as follows:

Each viewing workstation 11, which has a computer 21 and a monitor 22, also is connected to the image communication network 9 via a LAN/WAN terminal 20 and serves as a post-processing device. A window 24 for the playback of photographic images or image sequences that, for example, can likewise be registered by the video camera 14, is provided on the picture screen 23 of the monitor 22. A video camera 25, for example, is also connected to the computer 21 of the viewing workstation 11. A physician can make the findings registered therewith available for a video conference with, for example, a specialist at another viewing workstation 11. Instead of video cameras 14 and 25, digital still picture cameras with which photographic still pictures can be continuously made alternatively can be utilized.